

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method for administration of a thin client architecture comprising:

providing a plurality of administrators;

distributing a plurality of administrative tasks among said administrators, the distributing including dividing said administrative tasks into a plurality of task groups, each task group comprising common needs of a separate and discrete subset of users in a system wherein a first number of said task groups is equal to a second number of said administrators; and

executing said administrative tasks.

2-3. (Canceled)

4. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said administrative tasks are user account creation tasks.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said administrative tasks are workgroup administration tasks.

6. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said administrators are educators.

7. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

storing an account state for a user; and

routing said account state to a terminal wherein said user is logged into said terminal.

8. (Currently amended) An administration system for a thin client architecture comprising:

a plurality of administrators, the administrators being ~~educators~~ teachers of students, wherein the students are users of a system and each teacher responsible for administering a class related to the teacher;

a distribution mechanism configured to distribute a plurality of administrative tasks among said administrators, the distribution mechanism dividing said administrative tasks into a plurality of task groups, each task group comprising common needs of a separate and discrete subset of users in the system wherein a first number of said task groups is equal to a second number of said administrators; and

a task execution device configured to enable said administrators to execute said administrative tasks.

9-10. (Canceled)

11. (Original) The administration system of claim 8 wherein said administrative tasks are user account creation tasks.

12. (Original) The administration system of claim 8 wherein said administrative tasks are workgroup administration tasks.

13. (Canceled).

14. (Original) The administration system of claim 8 further comprising:

a storage unit configured to store an account state for a user; and
a router configured to route said account state to a terminal wherein said user is logged into said terminal.

15. (Currently amended) A computer program product comprising:

a computer usable medium having computer readable program code embodied therein configured for administration of a thin client architecture, comprising:

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to provide a plurality of administrators;

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to distribute a plurality of administrative tasks among said administrators, wherein the distributing includes causing the computer to divide said administrative tasks into a plurality of task groups, each task group comprising common needs of a separate and discrete subset of users in a system wherein a first number of said task groups is equal to a second number of said administrators; and

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to enable said administrators to execute said administrative tasks.

16-17. (Canceled)

18. (Original) The computer program product of claim 15 wherein said administrative tasks are user account creation tasks.

19. (Previously presented) The computer program product of claim 15 wherein said administrative tasks are workgroup administration tasks.

20. (Currently amended) The computer program product of claim 15 wherein said administrators are ~~educators~~ teachers.

21. (Original) The computer program product of claim 15 further comprising:
computer readable code configured to cause a computer to store an account state for a user; and
computer readable code configured to cause a computer to route said account state to a terminal wherein said user is logged into said terminal.